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 SRINIVAS) Confirmation No. 2861
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 Application No. 10/786,652) Group Art Unit: 1751
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 Filed: February 25, 2004) Examiner: Thomas, Jaison P.
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 FOR: "SULFONATED CONDUCTING POLYMER-)
 GRAFTED CARBON MATERIAL FOR FUEL)
 CELL APPLICATIONS")

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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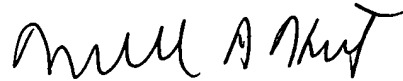
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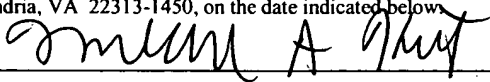
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TABLE 1. U.S. Office Actions

TAB NO.	APPLICATION NO.	DOCUMENT	DATE	N&R REFERENCE NO.
1	10/229,933	Petition for Withdraw from Issue and Request for Continued Examination	07/13/2006	03234.0002U2
2	10/445,273	Response to Office Action	07/13/2006	03234.0016U2
3	10/445,074	Office Action	07/10/2006	03234.0018U2
4	10/654,234	Notice of Allowance	06/08/2006	03234.0021U1

TABLE 2. PCT and Foreign Office Actions

TAB NO.	APPLICATION NO.	DOCUMENT	DATE	N&R REFERENCE NO.
5	Eurasia 200401548/26 (counterpart to US 10/445,273)	Office Action	07/03/2006	03234.0016EA1
6	EP 03729097.0 (counterpart to US 10/445,074)	Communication Under Rule 51(4)	07/25/2006	03234.0018EP1